

Our Store Will Be Open

..TONIGHT..

We have arranged with an
Orchestra to play for us
From 7:30 to 9:30.

FOR THE entertainment of our friends and patrons and the purchasing public generally, who will be looking out for Christmas presents, and as is the case with most of us, having no settled idea as to what it will be, we invite you here to look, examine, price the goods, to buy if you like, if not to see the neat, dainty, pretty, practical, useful or servicable goods as they pass on to their ultimate destiny—somebody's home.

The Mills-Flower-Adams Co.



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Sold by all
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An entirely new line of toilet cases, work boxes, manicure sets, collar and cuff boxes, shaving cases, etc., are shown by Swift & Holliday.

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DENNIS-MARTIN HYDRANTS

That Suburb May Get Them Yet—Suit to Be Pressed at Once.

The celebrated water works case, which is probably of more importance to citizens of Topeka than any in which the city was ever involved, promises to be speedily settled. In the district court today City Attorney Tiltonson asked that Judge Hazen should set some time when the case could be tried by a jury of convenience. Mr. Hazen agreed to allow the case to be tried next week, but was unable to fix the day.

The suit is one to compel the water company to extend its mains into the Martin & Dennis addition and other sections of the city which are absolutely without fire protection or water conveniences. The city council understands the contract to provide that the city shall pay rent on 800 hydrants, but all in excess of 300 shall be put in and kept up free. When this clause was put in the contract the water company never supposed the city would need more than 300 hydrants. There are now about 324. The water company put another construction on this clause of the contract and resisted the order to extend its mains, employing some of the best legal talent in the city. The city council ordered the water company to extend its mains three years ago, and this suit was brought to compel it to do so. The suit has been hanging fire ever since. It was this case which led to Engineer Pierson's attempt to "bottle" the city council, which the Journal exposed thoroughly at the time.

Judge Hazen will not try the case as he was the law-partner of S. B. Isenhart when the latter was city attorney and the suit was commenced. Mr. Isenhart is retained as associate counsel with City Attorney Tiltonson in the trial of the case.

Smoking sets at Swift & Holliday's.

FOUND UNDER THE BED.

The Officers Capture a Man Wanted at Emporia For Grand Larceny.

"Zeke" Butler of Topeka, who has been wanted by the Santa Fe officers at Emporia, for grand larceny, was captured in Topeka last night. Down at the Santa Fe freight depot last night he got in a fight with his brother "Billie" Butler, and the police wagon was sent for. When the wagon arrived Butler had gone. Deputy Sheriff Wiley and Santa Fe Detective George Montgomery happened to be at the depot and learned that Zeke Butler was the man they wanted. It was the first intimation they had that he was in town. They went to his house on Lake street near the bridge and were told that he wasn't at home. They searched the house however and found him hiding under a bed. He was pulled out from his hiding place by the heels. He is now in the county jail awaiting advice from the Emporia authorities.

The Tack Case. The Lil Tack case was in police court this morning. The judge will try to have his decision ready by tomorrow. The Tack woman meanwhile is out under bond. The police authorities regard her as too pure for a prison cell.

Plush albums, leather albums, celluloid albums. Cheap at Kellam's.

Flat collar and cuff cases, new and practical, at Swift & Holliday's.

Picture frames, smoking sets, trays, boxes, etc., at less than cost, at Kellam's.

A Kodak makes a good Christmas present. Swift & Holliday have them.

Don't allow yourself to be misled about books. You can buy them cheaper at Kellam's than anywhere in town.

All the shades in tissue paper at Kellam's.

IN SOCIETY CIRCLES.

Recent and Coming Social Events in Topeka and Vicinity.

GENERAL NOTES OF SOCIETY.

Personal Items of Interest About Topeka People and Visitors in Town.

The week in society will mark the ebbside in fashionable receptions or formal events. Last week was comparatively full of social events of more or less importance. This week society will rest, to be ready for the swell of the tide when the usual Christmas festivities will be augmented by at least three large and formal receptions in the smart set. After that the deluge; so many of Topeka's handsome homes will be open on New Year's Day that it will take the caller sometime to get round. Everybody who wants to hear the Prentiss lecture on Wednesday night and nearly everyone does, will go to the Carnival tonight, which will be repeated on Wednesday evening. The sunshiny weather is especially auspicious for the Christmas shopper and milady is giving her time to selecting Christmas presents and having a swell gown made for next week's gayeties, which range all the way from a family dinner to a formal reception.

Miss Blanche Dienst returned from Leavenworth last evening where she has been the guest of Miss Lou Taylor the past week. On last Tuesday evening after a hop at the post, Lieutenants Kneathall and Seaburn entertained at dinner complimentary to Miss Dienst.

Miss Marion McFarland of Cedar Falls, Iowa, is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Judge and Mrs. N. C. McFarland at the Copeland. Miss McFarland who has visited in Topeka before, has a large circle of friends here and will remain till the afternoon of Christmas day.

Manager Paul Hastings entertained the members of the Y. M. C. A. football team in the Johnson-Nebel parlors Saturday evening.

Mr. Fred A. Healy, formerly of Topeka, now of Prescott, Arizona, spent yesterday with friends and relatives in the city, en route to Chicago.

Mr. Noble Prentiss, of Kansas City, will give his lecture on "Art for the Artless," for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society of Grace cathedral, in the church parlors, corner of Eighth and Polk, Wednesday, December 19, 1894. Doors open at 7:30. Lecture at 8. Admission 25 cents.

The Camera club will meet with Mrs. W. E. Smith tomorrow evening.

Miss Lou Taylor will visit Miss Blanche Dienst during the holidays.

The ladies of the cast of "My Lord in Livery," Misses Georgia Brown, Eva Brown and Abbie Wilcox, of Lawrence, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pierce for a few days last week. They left for Lawrence yesterday.

Miss Nellie Clough spent Sunday at her home in Leavenworth.

Mrs. Lina Blakesley has returned from Wichita, where she was the guest of Mrs. J. C. Burnett.

Miss Anna Hastings of Pomona, came up Saturday, and will be the guest of Miss Daisy Prouty, 815 Topeka avenue, until after the holidays.

A Topeka lady will give a Browning afternoon soon after the holidays.

A Topeka society girl had eleven young gentlemen callers at one time yesterday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Oils of Atchison will be at Miss Lakin's debut party.

Mrs. Arthur Mills' guests, Miss Mame Atchison and Miss Lou Neely, returned to Leavenworth today much to the regret of a large circle of society young people.

J. S. Richardson returned to the city Saturday evening.

Frank Jarrell spent Sunday at his home in Atchison.

The Pansy club met with Miss Rosamond Horton this afternoon.

Mrs. Clara McCabe will spend the winter in Peru, Indiana.

Miss F. E. Adams store presents a beautiful appearance in its holiday attire. The store will be open this evening and an orchestra will play.

Stevenson & Company take a whole page today to talk about their Christmas things—but the half cannot be told in several pages. One must visit the store itself to appreciate the magnitude of the holiday attractions.

NORTH TOPEKA.

Items of Interest from the North Side of the River.

E. P. Ewart spent Saturday in Kansas City.

Sam Urmy has been elected commander of Blue post G. A. R.

Miss Jennie Finch has been engaged as saleswoman at J. E. Crockett's.

John R. Bacon of Nickerson has located with his family at 814 Van Buren street.

Oliver P. Morton Wiley spent Sunday with relatives here and left this morning for Texas.

J. D. Bragdon of Shorey has removed his family to the city and is housed at 117 Fairchild.

Col. J. F. Carter is sick. The boarders say his trouble dates from the Baker-Nichols party last week.

Genuine imported Canadian maple syrup at Heller's, 1002 Kansas avenue.

Ford Metzger returned yesterday from Tahlequah, the Cherokee capital, where he has been since last June. He came back by way of St. Louis, where he stopped to buy material for a newspaper and job office, which he will start in connection with other parties the first of the year. He will be here through the holidays.

C. L. Friable has a silk ribbon badge which looks much like those worn now during political campaigns, although it dates back to 1861. Underneath a picture of Stephen A. Douglass are printed the words "our next president."

Don't forget that Heller has mince meat just like your mother used to make, 1002 Kansas avenue.

Pastor M. Jagels, who has been assisting Pastor Hooton of Nortonville during the past week in a revival, returned to Nortonville today.

The only pure Pennsylvania buckwheat flour in the city at Heller's, 1002 Kansas avenue.

The building formerly occupied by the North Topeka electric light plant has been secured by Wishart's foundry, which will be in readiness for work by the first of the year. Their principal business is the manufacture of a gasoline smoothing iron.

Candy and candy at Heller's, 1002 Kansas avenue.

When Philip Danielson came out of church on the south side last night his horse and buggy were gone. He reported the matter to the police. This morning he found the outfit at a livery stable where it had been left by a colored man who said he found the horse walking around on Sixth street.

You can buy everything you want for your Christmas fruit cake at Heller's, 1002 Kansas avenue.

Try a ton of Camden coal. E. P. Ewart, 1012 Kansas avenue.

The proprietor of the "Magnet" as is his custom at holiday times, has gathered together everything in the way of nuts, candies, fruits and other "Christmas fixings," that can be found in any market. He has fruit from all over the world, candies by the wagon load, and barrels and barrels of every kind of nuts. His show window holds the largest stock of candy in the world and no child will be able to go by a place with a stock of candy like that. He told the JOURNAL man to write something about his place but what's the use. Everybody knows "Jimmy's" and they can't get by it.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

The Missouri Pacific will sell tickets account Christmas and New Year holidays, between points within 200 miles distance at rate of one and one-third fares for the round trip, with minimum rate of 50 cents. Dates of sales, Dec. 22, 23, 24, 25 and 31, and Jan. 1, limited to return until Jan. 2.

We desire publicly to thank the friends who so kindly and faithfully assisted us during the illness of our young son. Also for the generous donations of beautiful flowers from the Sunday school friends and his day school. Nelson Giles, Jr., Lula B. Giles.

Closing out our entire line of white metal and aluminum novelties.

Bargains in Kellam's this week.

Fountain pens \$1. Kellam's.

Great...
Inducements

Blankets and

Underwear

Offered at...

The Little
Store Around
The Corner.

118 E. Sixth St.

J. L.
Shively.

GOLD WITHDRAWN.

A Million and a Quarter Taken From the Treasury—\$1,750,000 to Ship.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The amount of gold shipped, Eckelheimer & Co.'s gold shipment tomorrow has been increased to \$1,000,000, which, with the engagement of Lazard Freres, makes the total \$1,750,000.

Notices of the withdrawal of \$1,250,000 in gold have been received at the sub-treasury this morning.

IT MEANS MORE BONDS.

If the Heavy Withdrawals Continue Another Issue Will be Necessary.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Officers of the treasury believe that in the next week there will be further large exports of gold. It is thought that the exports will continue to be heavy until the middle of January at least, so that, with the large payment to be made by the government this month for interest and other charges, the reserve may be reduced to \$80,000,000 or less before February.

Financiers say that a revival of the demand for our securities abroad would probably check the draft upon the treasury gold, but there is no sign of such a revival at this time and the rates of interest in New York do not seem likely to harden in the next week or two. The heavy withdrawals, it is believed, may have a good effect upon congress, inasmuch as they illustrate anew the facts of the currency situation. Should the demand for gold continue at the present rate for a month or two another issue of bonds would be necessary in order to maintain the credit of the government.

INAUGURATION DAY.

A Special Rate to Topeka is Likely.—G. A. H. Campfire.

The Republican leaders are making arrangements for a big time in Topeka on Monday, January 14—inauguration day.

Department Commander Campbell of the G. A. R. has issued a call for a state campfire to be held the Monday night after the inauguration, which is to be preceded by a banquet.

The old soldiers will be here from all over Kansas to take part in the inaugural demonstration and march in the procession if the weather is good.

The railroads are trying to agree on a special rate of one fare for the round trip for the occasion.

100 styles of perfume atomizers at Swift & Holliday's. New designs, lower prices.

THAT LONG LOOKED FOR
Furnishing Goods Sale.
IS NOW OPEN.

The Clothing Sale Will Continue as Heretofore.

Horace G. Manning,

CONDUCTOR OF THE

GREAT LIQUIDATION SALE,

OF THE

Golden Eagle Clothing Co.'s Stock,

618 KANSAS AVENUE.